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SUBJECT: PRESS REPORTS U.S. TO URGE NAMIBIA PLEBISCITE

REF: CAPE TOWN 417

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

1. IF QUERIED ON SUNDAY TIMES AND/OR CAPE TIMES ARTICLES
CITED REFTEL, ADDRESSEES SHOULD STATE THAT THEY HAVE NO

KNOWLEDGE OF SO-CALLED "SCHULTZ MEMORANDUM." POSTS MAY ADD
THAT U.S. POSITION FAVORING PEACEFUL AND ORDERLY RESOLUTION
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OF NAMIBIAN ISSUE IS WELL-KNOWN, THAT WE CONTINUE TO BELIEVE

THAT THE PEOPLE OF NAMIBIA SHOULD BE PERMITTED TO EXERCISE THEIR RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION PROMPTLY, AND THAT THE SAG SHOULD ISSUE A DECLARATION OF ITS INTENTIONS TOWARD THE TERRITORY AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY.

2. FYI ONLY -- PRESS STORIES APPARENTLY REFER TO A WORKING PAPER PREPARED BY L/AF WHICH SET FORTH POSSIBLE SCENARIO, INVOLVING A PLEBISCITE, FOR ORDERLY TRANSFER OF POWER IN NAMIBIA. THIS WORKING PAPER HAS NOT RPT NOT BEEN SUBMITTED TO THE SECRETARY FOR CONSIDERATION. END FYI. KISSINGER

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